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AN APPEAL TO ALL

A systematic canvas will be made in Mirror and district and every person, man, woman, and child will be given "an opportunity of subscribing to the Patriotic fund."

On Tuesday evening last a meeting of the committee appointed on Sunday, was held in H. J. Raymer's office and sub-committees were appointed to look after the organizing of the out lying districts.

The name under which the locals will work is the Mirror Branch of the North Alberta Patriotic Fund Association, and committees of two were appointed to hold meetings in the neighboring school districts, to explain the object of the organization and solicit the help of all the people in this worthy cause.

Officers—President, H. J. Raymer; Secy-Treas., R. L. Pretty; and the gentlemen who are mentioned farther down in this article.

The district with their delegates and the approximate dates on which meetings will be held are as follows:

Geo. Robinson and E. A. Birkby, George School district, Nov. 1 or 2.

J. F. Flewelling and A. Jacques, Lake Bend school district, Nov. 3.

W. C. McCormack and Jas. Brindley, Ripley school district, Nov. 4th.

Rev. Holdom and W. J. Good, Gadaby school district, Nov. 5th.

J. H. Duitman and W. J. Kadner, Ellice school district, Nov. 6th.

The soliciting of subscriptions in Mirror will be attended to by A. G. Holland, Rev. Dougan, and E. E. Hengle.

And the Mirror school district and unorganized territory to the west by Dr. Meyer, F. Woodford and J. W. Pringle.

The subscription can either be made in a lump sum or else be made payable by the month, and every person should subscribe something, no matter how small the amount. Contribute! Every body doing it.

CANADA'S BRIGHT FUTURE

James Oliver Curwood, a noted American writer, speaking of Canada's future after the war, says: "It will mean a new Canada. It will mean an era of prosperity such as this country has never known—not an era of real estate boom, but a period of development and growth that will mean practically a new Canada in the west. Of all the nations of the earth Canada will profit most by this war—more even than my own country. Following the signing of peace will follow an immigration movement that I believe will amaze the world, for the half of the richest part of Europe will have been turned into ruins. Remember that three of the greatest states, Nebraska, Minnesota and Iowa, were settled by more than 100,000 Germans after the victorious march to Paris in 1870. And that was a German triumph. What, then, will follow a German defeat?"

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS ITEMS

If you want a good War Map, read THE JOURNAL offer on page 4.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Panrucker, of Alis, were in town today (Friday).

Mr. P. N. Simpson and three children, Everett, Rachael and Lowell, of Heon Lake, Minn., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Simpson.

A wedding is on the tapis. Guess who? No more cold feet.

H. P. Crittall, Ronald Pynn, and the rest of the Buffalo Lake contingent who went to Edmonton to enlist have returned until such time as the military authorities decide to accept applications for the second contingent.

Wm. MacKirdy, received a letter from Mr. Pocock, from New York, dated Oct. 14th, the day he sailed for London. Eng. Mr. Pocock expected to arrive in London on Oct. 21st.

A meeting of the ladies of Mirror was held in the Library on Tuesday, Oct. 13th when a voluntary First Aid Detachment was formed to do Red Cross work, and use the proceeds from concert on Oct. 18th, amounting to \$467.50 to buy material. Miss Pringle was appointed to take the chair, Mrs. Geo. Robinson, Secy-Treas. The following committees were appointed to be responsible for the different departments connected with the work of the detachment. Buying committee—Mrs. H. Holdom, Mrs. Wright and Miss Pringle; Cutting committee—Mrs. Holland, Mrs. Leavary, Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Hengle; Knitting committee—Mrs. D. Hutchison, Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Woodford. Arrangements were made to hold a regular meeting in the library every Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock to distribute and collect material. Every lady is cordially invited to attend.

Joe Hutchison, a former resident of this locality and W. Robertson, motored up from Calgary this week and enjoyed a shoot.

BORN.—In Mirror, Alberta, on Sunday, Oct. 18th, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brewster, a daughter.

Dr. G. R. Craig, dentist, of Calgary, will be at the Imperial Hotel on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday morning.

Following the arrival of the Canadian contingent in Great Britain, the Allen line and the White Star-Dominion have received word that all their steamships used in that service are now released for the regular service which they keep up between Canada and the British Isles. Both lines have therefore arranged their sailings to and from Montreal for the balance of the season.

The following is taken from the Leeds Yorkshire Post of recent date. The deceased is a cousin of Hans Kiesel, of Mirror, both attended the same college together.—A report, which is believed to be true, was received at Grimby that Mr. Albert Kiesel, formerly a leading jeweller in Grimby, who returned to Germany a few years ago and went to reside in Berlin, has been shot for refusing to fight against Britain. It is stated that he was called up by the Landsturm, but did not respond. When inquiries were made he said he would not carry arms against the country in which he had lived for many years, amongst whose people he had always been well received, and to whose sense of freedom he owed the competency he had made. The report goes on to state that he was taken out and shot in the presence of his wife, after which the German authorities took possession of his house, money and everything he had. His wife is endeavoring to get back to England to find refuge amongst her friends.

It appears that there is considerable in connection with the marketing of hogs as a result of their being bruised through rough handling before they reach the packer. In some cases this loss amounts to \$800 on \$500 a car, and as it is impossible to tell which hogs have been bruised or wounded, it is obvious that the packer will have to protect himself by reducing the price on all hogs to

cover the loss on about 30% of the hogs which are ill-treated. This is a very serious matter for the farmers of Alberta, and they should take great care in loading their hogs into the engine and try to avoid bruising their hogs.

H. M. S. cruiser Undanant was the man-o-war cruiser which the Burton was aboard in the China station, which sunk four German cruisers on Oct. 18th.

Mrs. Hans Kiesel returned home last Friday from Edmonton where she has been visiting with her parents. She was accompanied by her sister Miss Clara Fiske, of Beaver Hills.

Patriotic Meeting. Well Attended

At a mass-meeting, held under the auspices of the North Alberta Patriotic Association, in Kadler's hall on Sunday afternoon, W. F. Puffer, M. E. P., for Lacombe, and Col. Eaton, M. P. P., for the Hand Hills, fully explained the objects of the movement. The speeches were listened to with great interest by a large audience from the town and the surrounding country. At the close of the meeting the organization of this district was proceeded with and a central committee was formed to get in touch with the people of the town and the surrounding communities. It was decided to hold meetings in the different school houses for the purpose of further organization, and to give everybody an opportunity of helping this worthy cause.

The following points should be kept in mind:—

The main object of this movement is to help to make provisions for the wives and families of those who have gone to the front to fight our battles. This should appeal to everyone who enjoys the rights and liberties of British rule which at the present time is in danger of being crushed by despotic militarism.

It has sometimes happened that while our soldiers have been sacrificing their lives for home and empire, those dependent on them have suffered privation. Would it not encourage our soldier to perform their duty better if they knew that in case they fell in battle their loved ones would be cared for? It is clear that assisting in this way is no matter of charity, but the bounden duty of every man, woman and child who is now living in this land of peace and plenty, far from the ravages of war. Let us remember that the issue of the present Titanic struggle will effect the destinies of ourselves and our descendants. What are you and I doing to uphold and hand on unimpaired the rights and liberties for which our fathers shed their blood?

St. Monica's Church

Sunday, Oct. 18th, Litany and Holy Communion 11 a. m. Mission service 7.30.

Sunday, Oct. 25th, Evensong and address 5.30.

Intercession for the War every Friday, 2.45.

M. W. Holdom, Rector.

NO ELECTION BEFORE 1915

Toronto, Oct. 20.—"I do not think that there is a possibility of an election before 1915," said the Hon. Robert Rogers, minister of public works in the Dominion government, when seen at the King Edward hotel this morning. "The cabinet as far as I am aware, is not making any preparation for going to the country, and the talk of an immediate appeal is far-fetched." He did not believe that the proposal to dissolve parliament in the near future had been very seriously considered by Premier Borden.

"There is absolutely no truth in the report that the Hon.

Sam. Hughes is to resign," said Mr. Rogers. "The trip which the minister took to England was for the purpose of recuperating after the severe strain of working out the details of Valcartier camp."

The Royal Neighbors' Lodge are holding guessing contests at their meetings every third Wednesday. Last week being the second contest, Miss Ella Thorburn won first prize and Mrs. Jas. Cairns second prize. Now ladies get your thinking cap on and come and join the contest, the admission is only 10c. Next meeting will be on Nov. 18th.

Benj. Lawton, chief game warden of Alberta, was in town on Wednesday.

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Transmission of Sight by Wire

Once more we are assured, and this time from England, of the success of experiments in transmitting light by the telephone to see the person at the other end of a wire.

The lecturer, Dr. M. A. Low, a London consulting engineer, has given a short description of the apparatus and method of the new wonder.

The transmitter is a screen consisting of cells of selenium, the electrical resistance of which varies according to the light that touches it.

Over this screen, there passes a synchronously rotating roller consisting of a number of pieces, which are alternating conductors and insulators.

The roller is driven by a motor of 250 watts, and it is in this manner that the resulting variations of light are converted into an ordinary electric current.

The receiver is made up of a series of cells operated by the passage of polarized light through thin plates of selenite and at this receiver the object, which is before the transmitter, is reproduced as a flickering image.

The process is described as a "kymograph" application of common electrical principles. The system has been tested under a resistance of 200 ohms, and it is stated that, but in the opinion of Dr. Low, there is no reason why it should not be equally effective for far greater distances.

"The tones of the human voice, which have been reproduced in the past by wireless telephony. The reproductions of light are far sharper than those of sound, and it should be possible to transmit a wireless message of transmission. I will commit myself to the proposition that in five years people will look back with wonder at the days when it was necessary to be at 5 percent efficiency in order to see it."

When this day will change the conditions of warfare, imagine the altered methods of military operations when you can see what is happening miles away.

"The invention reproduced it in the size which the eye of a camera would see. It shows in the line of light and shade, somewhat in the manner of a photograph, but it does not reproduce color."

"It is a well known fact in London as a consulting engineer, and has engaged in laboratory research for the government. A number of inventions stand to his credit, including the low high pressure motor and a high pressure petrol engine. The system is in connection with the wire has been extended over five years."

"The transmitting screen selenium can be replaced by any diamagnetic material. The cost of the system is considerable, and the conductivity of the rollers is a matter of great importance."

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TAKE WARNING

Defective and overheated stoves and furnaces were responsible in 1913 for no less than 137 fires.

Defective and over heated pipes and chimneys resulted in 150 fires.

Lumps, and lanterns upset and exploding were the cause assigned for 49 fires.

The above figures bring out in detail some of the more prominent and at the same time preventable causes which contribute to the enormous total of Canada's fire waste.

With only ordinary care, any and all of these simple causes may be overcome. This care is required of the average household or occupant of the private house.

With the coming of autumn, bringing cooler weather and shorter days, this fire danger once more becomes prominent.

Furnaces and stoves will be put into commission, and more and more of the outside work of the farm must be performed by the aid of lantern light with its attendant risk.

Pipes and chimneys were not carefully cleaned and inspected when heating was discontinued in the spring. This should be thoroughly done now. Stoves and furnace smoke pipes should be taken down and cleaned; all pipes which are corroded should be replaced.

When pipes are replaced they should be thoroughly secured against any danger of their falling. Necessary repairs to stoves and furnaces should be made at once.

Chimneys also should receive careful attention. They should be well cleaned, and all loose ashes removed from the bottom. Close examination should be made of the brick work to detect any open spaces where mortar may have fallen out or crumbled, especially near woodwork or in unused attics.

Experts have been studying the most situation in Canada and the United States express the opinion that the Canadian farmers who are fortunate enough to have on hand next spring a lot of well fed cattle will receive for them the greatest price in the history of Canada. The explanation of this is the partial failure of this year's corn crop in the United States and the determination of the American farmers not to hold their stock but to feed them up as fast as possible and rush them to the market in order that they will not have to carry them over the winter.

A PEACE, BUT NOT A TRUCE

But we should consider carefully what a true peace means—a truce as distinguished from a peace. A peace, under modern conditions, is going to be had enough. This chatter about disarming our fallen foe, is the most irresponsible and misleading nonsense. You cannot disarm a great people like the Germans. No matter how complete a victory you may win, the moment you take your hand from their national throat and give them leave once more to govern themselves, they will begin to rearm. Any self respecting nation would do the same thing. It may be possible for Britain to get possession of the German navy, and then to announce that the moment Germany builds another navy which runs beyond a certain limit, war will automatically begin. But it is easy to think of a hundred things which would make such a regulation a dead letter—one of which is the utter inability of Britain to wage a war against Germany without the help of military powers.

No, any peace that comes will be an armed peace.

But it need not be a mere rearmament. If we can decisively defeat the enemy. If, on the other hand, this war is not lost with Germany saying—"Well, I didn't get ready again this time; but I'll get ready again and have another go at it," we shall all be in for a far more destructive and paralyzing period of frantic preparation for a war than that which so nearly did for us—in a financial way—between the Balkan Wars and the present conflict. The world will simply hold its breath awaiting the next shock.

Industry will find that it is doing a hasty and tentative business with a burning fuse leading to a powder magazine, in the basement. Commerce cannot promise delivery more than a month ahead. Capital will stay in its hole and oppressive pause between two thunder-storms—Monocle Man in Canadian Courier.

Alberta Cattle Sell in Toronto

From the Toronto Press there comes the information that on October 6th there were sold at the Union Stock Yards of Toronto, by H. F. Kennedy & Co., Commission Salesmen, to the Toronto Cattle Company, a carload of Alberta cattle for \$8.50 per cwt. In commenting upon some of the press states that they were a fine sample of the kind of cattle that Alberta is capable of producing, and were said to be as fine a lot as have been seen on the market during the present year. While the price was not the highest for the season it was the top price paid on that day.

The same report states that the firm of H. F. Kennedy & Co., sold Alberta butcher cattle as high as 8½, and light steers from Alberta at 6½. With feed as plentiful as now is throughout the central portion of this province stock cattle should not be going eastward.

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